Whanganui Camera Club Action Print Competition July 2017

Number	Title	Result	Feedback
	B Grade Set Subject		
B1	Aerobatics?	Honours	Positives: Well framed, filled image Horizon is spot on and adds to drama of the flight. Negatives: Shutter slightly slow, visible on the left.
B2	Autocross action	Highly Commended	Positives: Great moment captured Negatives: Vibrance needed for the colour Crop quality
В3	Burn out	Highly Commended	Positives: Hard to get image like this right. Good crop Negatives: Focus point in the wrong place WB temp balance too high Remove cone
B4	Competing	Merit	Positives: Shutter good Negatives: Lower angle needed Remove Shoe Action should be on sole subject

B5	Determination	Accepted	Positives: Hard place to photograph B+W good idea Negatives:
B6	Dive	Honours	Closed eyes destroy's point of the image Positives: Great use of sepia Unique image Smoke makes the image work and give the action
B7	Perfect landing	Honours	Positives: Great moment Well Framed
B8	Sack mates	Accepted	Positives: Creative idea Second image in, alone would make better image Negatives: Scale wrong Editing cut with brush, pen tool needed No background ruins height
В9	Sandra boots it	Highly Commended	Positives: Great moment Negatives: Faster shutter needed Needs to be brighter
B10	Start	Merit	Positives: Water splash is great Negatives: Composition is off Focus is soft
	A Grade Set Subject		

A11	Breakthrough	Merit	Positive's: Good choice of crop Beautiful light, fun image with smiling Leaves in foreground gave a nice depth of field. Negative: Cropping in has reduce quality
A12	Bucked Boots 'n All	Highly Commended	Positives: Great moment Loads to look at, shoe. Great positioning and framing Negatives: Shutter slightly to slow. Enhance blacks
A13	Fast drying Lab!	Accepted	Positive's: Difficult subject to time and position Did well to catch the moment Negatives: Not cropped well Cropping zoom has damaged quality
A14	Goal mouth action	Highly Commended	Postive's: Tells a story Shutter speed, just right to capture motion Negatives: Back of the head isn't a great look, focus needs to be on face of defenders to make it work.
A15	Haka	Honours	Positives: Great moment, strong image Black and white was a great idea. Negatives: Shutter was a little slow

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A21	Blackmount school	Merit	Positives: Great potential, recommend print it on Matt paper Post production colour toning for watered down colours needed or return during sunset. Great potential
A22	Green hood orchid	Highly Commended	Beautiful shot, blacks need defining and more white painted in to the back ground to make it pop more
A23	Feelings of foreboding	Honours	Unusual subject matter, very well composed. Beautiful variety of textures and colour pallet
A24	I only come out at night - the daylight is much too bright	Highly Commended	Striking picture Draws the eye brave to go near it Tripod or faster shutter speed